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SUBJ: STATUS OF JERUSALEM: BILATERAL CEREMONIES

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1. EMB AND CONGEN HAVE SEARCHED FILES AND CAN FIND NO RPT NO RECORD OF BILATERAL AGREEMENTS BEING CONCLUDED IN MANNER DESCRIBED IN PARA 4 OF REFTEL. FACT THAT FILES ARE SILENT ON THIS MATTER, OF COURSE, DOES NOT MEAN SUCH CEREMONIES HAVE NOT TAKEN PLACE IN THE PAST.

2. DEPT MAY RECALL THAT AMB KEATING AND FINMIN SAPIR SIGNED AID HOUSING LOAN GUARANTY AGREEMENT IN SAPIR'S OFFICE IN WEST JERUSALEM ON MAY 20, 1974. PRIOR TO THAT CEREMONY AN EXCHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE OCCURRED BETWEEN EMB AND DEPT IN WHICH DEPT CONCLUDED THAT HOLDING SOME BILATERAL CEREMONIES IN ISRAEL WOULD BE USEFUL FROM PUBLIC RELATIONS STANDPOINT HERE, EVEN THOUGH ISRAELIS THEMSELVES USUALLY PREFER TO HOLD THEM IN WASHINGTON. QUESTION OF WHETHER SIGNING WOULD TAKE PLACE IN TEL AVIV OR JERUSALEM WAS NOT ADDRESSED, ALTHOUGH OUR 2590 OF MAY 7, 1974 SPECIFIED FINANCE MINISTER SAPIR'S OFFICE, I.E., JERUSALEM, AS VENUE.

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